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E. O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MARR, SN, AS

SUBJ: AUSTRALIAN NOTE ON FPDA

1. IN HIS CALL ON SECRETARY OF DEFENSE RICHARDSON ON APRIL 4, PRIME MINISTER LEE REPORTED THAT THE GOS HAD JUST RECEIVED AUSTRALIAN NOTE INFORMING THEM OF AUSTRALIAN INTENTION TO WITHDRAW ALL MILITARY FORCES FROM " ANZUK" ( PRESUMABLY BOTH MALAYSIA AND SINGAPORE AREA) BY THE END OF 1975.

2. THIS IS FIRST REPORT WE HAVE HAD OF THIS DEVELOPMENT.

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WITHOUT ATTRIBUTING REPORT TO LEE OR GOS, SUGGEST ADDRESSEES  
RAISE MATTER IN LOW KEY WITH APPROPRIATE HOST GOVERNMENT  
OFFICIALS AND SEEK CONFIRMATION, DETAILS. ROGERS

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